

## Lexile Conversion Table for Spring 2008 AIMS Reading – Grade 3

A study was conducted in the spring of 2007 that linked the AIMS Reading scale score with The Lexile Framework® for Reading. Use the student's Spring 2008 AIMS Reading scale score to determine the student's Lexile® measure for the 2008-2009 school year.

The Lexile Framework® is an educational tool that has been developed to measure reading comprehension and text difficulty by placing readers and text on the same developmental scale. Lexiles help educators, parents, and students to select targeted materials to improve reading skills and to monitor reading growth across the curriculum, in the library, and at home. Although Lexiles do not equate to grade levels, the measure that a student receives through the assessment link can be used to connect the reader with books, periodicals, and other materials that meet and challenge his or her individual reading ability.

AIMS Scale Score	Reported Lexile Measure	AIMS Scale Score	Reported Lexile Measure	AIMS Scale Score	Reported Lexile Measure
347 & below	BR*	406	315L	455	590L
352	10L	410	335L	460	615L
357	35L	414	360L	464	640L
362	65L	417	375L	469	670L
367	95L	421	400L	474	695L
371	115L	424	415L	479	725L
375	140L	428	435L	484	755L
379	160L	432	460L	490	785L
384	190L	436	480L	496	820L
387	205L	439	500L	503	860L
391	230L	443	520L	511	905L
395	250L	447	545L	520	955L
399	275L	451	565L	531 & above	965L
403	295L				

\*BR—beginning reading

For additional information, go to: [www.ade.az.gov/azreads/Lexile](http://www.ade.az.gov/azreads/Lexile).

Performance Level 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade	Scale Score 2008
Falls Far Below	200-378
Approaches	379-430
Meets	431-515
Exceeds	516-640

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